

In the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho

IN RE: AMENDMENT OF IDAHO COURT
ADMINISTRATIVE RULE (I.C.A.R.) 47

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ORDER AMENDING
RULE

The Court having reviewed the recommendations approved by the Child Protection Committee and Children and Families in the Courts Committee to amend Idaho Court Administrative Rule 47,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Idaho Court Administrative Rule 47, as it appears in the volume published by the Idaho Code Commission, be, and is hereby, amended as follows:

Rule 47. Criminal history checks.

This rule applies to persons applying to be included in the roster of Parenting Coordinators pursuant to Rule 16(l), I.R.C.P., to persons seeking appointment as supervised access providers pursuant to Rule 16(o) I.R.C.P., to family court services coordinators, to guardian ad litem program directors and to staff members and volunteers of guardian ad litem programs. The criminal history check will consist of a self-declaration, fingerprints of the individual, information obtained from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the National Criminal History Background Check System, Bureau of Criminal Identification and the Sexual Offender Registry, and as required by statute or rule the statewide child abuse registry and adult protection registry. A record of all criminal history background checks shall be maintained in the office of the Supreme Court with a copy going to the applicant in accord with subsection (f) of this rule. A criminal history background check conducted pursuant to this rule and maintained in the office of the Supreme Court, may be used for any position identified under this rule including parenting coordinators, supervised access providers, family court services coordinators, guardian ad litem program directors and staff and volunteers of guardian ad litem programs so long as the fingerprints of the applicant have been submitted and the criminal history check has been conducted within the preceding twelve months.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that this order and these amendments shall be effective immediately.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the above designation of the striking of words from the Rules by lining through them, and the designation of the addition of new portions of the Rules by underlining such new portion is for the purposes of information only as amended, and NO OTHER AMENDMENTS ARE INTENDED. The lining through and underlining shall not be considered a part of the permanent Idaho Court Administrative Rules.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the Clerk of the Court shall cause notice of this Order to be published in one issue of *The Advocate*.

DATED this 24 day of March, 2009.

By Order of the Supreme Court



Daniel T. Eismann, Chief Justice

ATTEST: Stephen Kenyon
Clerk

I, Stephen W. Kenyon, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Order entered in the above entitled cause and now on record in my office.

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of this Court 3/25/09

STEPHEN W. KENYON

Clerk

By: Kimber Grove Deputy